

# PATENT APPLICATION

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# AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed November 4, 2002, the non-extended period for response being February 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

#### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 6, 9, 14, 15, 21, 26, 29, 35, 41, 47 and 51 to read as follows:

### Claim 6 (Amended)

A method as claimed in claim 1, wherein the step of interrupting data transmission over the poorly performing wireless link comprises a step of suspending transmission of a data frame over the poorly performing wireless link.

#### Claim 9 (Amended)

A method as claimed in claim 6, further comprising maintaining a count of suspended frames.